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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above identified application.

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Further to the Official Action dated February 21, 2002, and supplementing the Amendment filed by certificate of mailing on August 21, 2002, please amend the present application as follows:

In the Claims

Please amend claims 1 and 30 to read as follows:

A controlled release pharmaceutical composition (Fourth Amendment) 1. comprising:

at least one pharmaceutically active substance having a water contact (a)

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a first intelligent polymer/component; and

a second intelligent /polymer component having opposite wettability (c) characteristics to said first intelligent polymer component, said second intelligent polymer component comprising hydroxyethylcellulose or a mixture of hydroxyethylcellulose and